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Servicemen Must Be on a 'List' To Get PD-399 Forms

CHICAGO - Suggested procedure for obtaining applications for the PD-399 form (necessary so that refrigeration servicemen can operate under the Repair Order P-126), and the probable effect of the proposed limitation order for commercial refrigeration equipment are two important pieces of information picked up by C. E. Borden, president, and Alex Holcombe, Jr., vice president of the National Refrigeration Supply Jobbers Association on a visit April 27 to the WPB offices in Washington.

According to the information available a request from an individual serviceman for a PD-399 form on which to register for operation under P-126 will not be considered. form apparently will be sent only to those servicemen who are on lists submitted by manuafcturers.

From this information it is deemed advisable for supply jobbers to send in lists of their customers to manufacturers of units or evaporators and ask them to submit these lists to the WPB. Such lists should not include firms that do household electric refrigerator service only, as they are covered by the P-126 order.

The Limitation Order on commercial refrigeration equipment, which is expected to freeze stocks of beverage coolers, room coolers, fountainettes, and other "non-essential equipment will apply only to manufacturers' stocks, and not to distributor and dealer stocks, according to this latest available information.

However, the probable important (Concluded on Page 4, Column 2)

'Local' & 'Regional' Service Centers Will Get G-E Assistance

BRIDGEPORT, Conn. - An expanded program for refrigeration and major appliance service, in which General Electric will appoint and assist qualified retailers as local appliance service centers and set up its own regional appliance service centers, was announced and interpreted by W. C. Noll, G-E appliance service manager, during a three-day conference of G-E appliance and merchan-(Concluded on Page 4, Column 2)

General Price Freeze

WASHINGTON, D. C .- Just how the General Maximum Price Regulation announced April 28 by the Office of Price Administration will affect all of the various divisions and sections of the refrigeration, air conditioning, and major appliance fields will not be definitely known until some official interpretations are made by the Washington officials.

Since the regulation does not go into effect on prices of "commodities" until May 18 and the price of "services" until July 1 it is probable that rulings covering the various divisions of the industries will be made by that time.

However, a first reading of the text of the order would seem to indicate that the following conclusions are probably correct:

Commercial refrigeration and air conditioning equipment is not covered in the order, at least not in the official listing of the products (some later interpretations may be made to include such products, however).

Refrigeration repair and maintenance work is covered by the order, under the provision which states:

"'Service' includes any service rendered or supplied, otherwise than as an employe, in connection with the processing, distribution, storage, installation, repair, or negotiation of purchase or sale of a commodity, and generally, without limiting the foregoing, all services which preserve or (Concluded on Page 4, Column 3)

Come To Chicago

Next week's All-Industry Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Meeting promises to be one of the most important conferences this industry has ever held. It is of the utmost importance that you attend. The program includes talks by industry and government experts on the mate rials and deliveries situations, general sessions for discussions of priorities orders and usage, booth discussions between suppliers and customers, and meetings of several of the industry's leading associations. Don't miss this Meeting!

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Some Branches of the Industry Fights Order Industry Are Hit By Limiting 'Freon' Use

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Industry factors are protesting an order issued by the Army-Navy Munitions Board forbidding the use of Freon in refrigerating machines over 5 hp. in size on all Army or Navy orders.

This order, signed by Brigadier General Charles Hines and Captain T. J. Keleher (U.S.N.) will, unless rescinded or modified, exclude most of the manufacturers in the industry from bidding on the larger Army and Navy installations.

Inasmuch as only York, Frick, Baker, and Vilter are currently set up to produce ammonia-using refrigerat-

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REFRIGERATION BRANCH OF THE WPB HAS NEW ADDRESS IN CAPITAL

WASHINGTON, D. C .- The Air Conditioning and Commercial Refrigeration Branch of the WPB has moved from 462 Indiana Ave., N.W. to the Penthouse, Railroad Retirement Building here, it is reported by Harry C. Williams, assistant chief of the Branch.

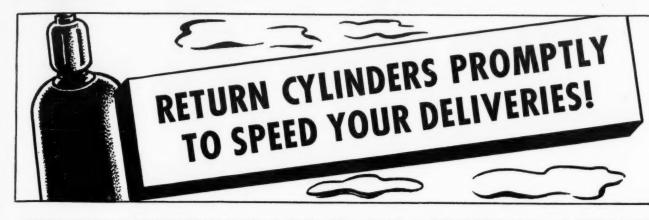
It is important that communications be addressed to the new address (Penthouse, Railroad Retirement Building) in order to avoid delays occasioned by the difficulties of the postoffice in keeping up with the rapid shifting of governmental departments and bureaus.

FROZEN STORAGE CABINETS ARE NOT HIT BY HOUSEHOLD ORDER

WASHINGTON, D. C .- The WPB orders in the L-5 series governing the production and sales of domestic mechanical refrigerators do not apply to a low temperature mechanical refrigerator designed for the storage of frozen foods or for the quick-freezing of food, when the low temperature compartment contains more than 75% of the total refrigeration space, the War Production Board said April 25 in an amendment (No. 2) to the order.

W. S. Hammersley, Chief of the Domestic Refrigerator Section, said it was never intended to include such refrigerators in the domestic refrigerator order, but that the amendment was issued to clear up confusion that has existed over it. Quick-freeze refrigerators will be covered by another order to be issued shortly dealing with commercial refrigeration.

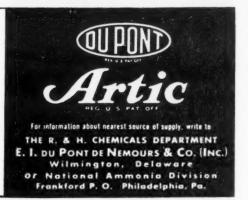
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New Restrictions Will Tighten Delivery of Metals

David Butler To Head **WPB Heating Section**

WASHINGTON, D. C .- David H. Butler, Elgin, Ill., has been appointed Chief of a newly created heating section of the WPB Plumbing and Heating branch, it was announced The section will be respontoday. sible for such heating equipment as boilers, furnaces, oil burners, radiators, unit heaters, etc.

Before coming to Washington, Mr. Butler had been associated with the Chicago office of the Iron Fireman Mfg. Co.



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'End-Use' Code For All Materials A-10 Required For Step In Priority System Change

WASHINGTON, D. C .- To avoid bottlenecks and surpluses of items in War production, War Production Board officials announced this week that they will soon introduce an "end-use code," upon which they have been working for over two months.

The new code is expected to supplement information made available to the WPB by the Production Requirements Plan and to make possible far more accurate estimates of requirements for military and essential civilian materials than can now be

In its final form, as yet unsettled, the code will supply a complete breakdown of materials going into all products manufactured for essential civilian as well as military products. Materials going into the bits and pieces of a machine, tank, airplane, or gun will be included in the breakdown and the information made available to government officials well in advance so that it can be used by them to guide output.

As it is now taking shape, the code

consists of 17 broad bands of use broken down into a host of smaller classifications covering practically every type of essential product manufactured in the War program.

The iron and steel branch of WPB will use the code to dictate the types and kinds of steel to be produced and the points at which the commodity will be delivered. Steel mills will show in their work schedules not only the number of orders and priority ratings assigned, but also the finished product in which the steel is to be used.

From these sheets, Government officials will be able to spot shipments destined for production of goods in ample supply and divert them to the use of manufacturers whose production has been slowed down through lack of required materials. With such information at hand, the Government can divert steel, and all other products, to the "end use" for which they are most needed, officials

Steel Shipments After May 15

WASHINGTON, D. C .- A new amendment to Order M-21 provides that deliveries of iron and steel products will be restricted to preference ratings of A-10 or higher after May 15, the War Production Board has announced. Formerly the order only applied to steel products.

Two exceptions have been made to the A-10 rating equipment, which is known as amendment No. 3 and extension No. 2 of General Preference Order M-21. Warehouses may deliver carbon steel on unrated orders when the purchaser specifies that the material is to be used for repair and maintenance. Each warehouse is limited, by quarters, to 3% of its quota for any product for such de-

Persons other than producers may deliver nails, bale ties, and small black or galvanized welded pipe on unrated orders.

A new system will be effective May 1 when Form PD-73 is abolished. Under it, each purchase order for iron or steel must contain a signed statement by a duly authorized official or agent of the purchaser, either stamped or typed on the order, stating that the material is to be used for one of the group classifications set up in the order. These include Army, Navy, Maritime, defense projects (war plants), Lend-Lease, other export, railroad, warehouse, and all

New forms have been provided for producers in connection with the amended order. To report shipments. iron and steel producers will use Form PD-138, which must be received by the WPB by the 15th of the month following the month of shipment.

The WPB further stated that Form PD-138, due in Washington by the 10th of each month, must be used to report tonnages requested for delivery, during that month and the following month, including past-due tonnage on the books of the producer. Both forms will be available soon at all WPB offices and at the WPB Iron and Steel Branch here.

For the first time, information derived from PD-139 will give the WPB total tonnage requested from each producer by product and by recipient, providing the first complete picture of all types of steel being produced and who is getting them.

Priority Applications MUST Set Specific Date of Delivery

WASHINGTON, D. C .- All applications for priority assistance which do not specify a required delivery date will hereafter be returned to the applicant by the War Production Board, it was announced last week by J. S. Knowlson, Director of Industry Operations.

Priorities Regulation No. 1 as amended requires every applicant for priority assistance to specify in his application the latest date on which the items in connection with which priority assistance is requested can be delivered to him to meet his contract obligations or production sched-

Nevertheless, many applicants, especially those submitting individual applications on PD-1A forms, have been specifying "immediately" or "at once" instead of filling in a definite delivery date. Hereafter, no such applications will be considered until an exact delivery date has been filled in.



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Fabricators of All Metals Will Furnish Data For Complete Inventory Study

WASHINGTON, D. C .- All the nation's users of metal in raw or semifabricated form are receiving questionnaires from the War Production Board as the initial step in a complete survey now in progress to determine the use of metal in the United States during the first quarter of 1942 and of anticipated requirements for the quarter beginning July 1.

These questionnaires on Form PD-275 are a refinement of the metals questionnaires which were mailed to 11,000 users on Jan. 30. Information from the 85% response has proved valuable to the WPB in deciding the permissible uses and allocations of metals needed in the War program, the board indicated.

Covering metals used in the last quarter of 1941 and requirements for the second quarter of 1942, the original questionnaires were mailed only to manufacturers using metal in their products. The present survey will also cover mines, railroads, shipyards, utilities, construction jobs, and the petroleum industry, as well as military and naval contractors.

The list of metals and metal products on Form PD-275 is identical with the metals section of Materials List No. 1 of Form PD-25A, which is used for filing applications under the Production Requirements Plan. Thus a manufacturer operating under the PRP who fills out Form PD-275 will be able to use this data in his PRP application for the third quarter, the WPB pointed out.

To avoid duplication, the uses and requirements of metal in raw and semi-fabricated form specified on Form PD-275 will be reported. In this way, the use of metal will be recorded only at one stage of the

movement from producer to end use with double reporting of the same metal or metal product avoided. The report is broken down into kinds and types of metal and metal prod-Each company is required to show this breakdown in detail.

All metal users who receive PD-275 forms are required to fill them out and return them to the Bureau of the Census by May 15. The reports will be analyzed by the Census Bureau and the WPB with results expected to be completed by May 29.

Basic information called for on the form includes: Inventory of metals on hand Dec.

31, 1941. Amount received during the first quarter ended March 31, 1942.

Amount put into production during the quarter ended March 31. Inventory on March 31.

Estimate of amount to be put into production in the quarter ending Sept. 30, 1942. Shipments of products during the

quarter ending March 31, analyzed by preference ratings. Anticipated shipments during the

quarter to end Sept. 30.

Gasoline Rationing Won't Hit Refrigeration Firms

WASHINGTON, D. C .- The gasoline card rationing plan which the Office of Price Administration will put into effect May 15 in 17 Eastern states is designed to give "every motorist at least as much of the available supply as he is entitled to, according to his needs," the OPA fuel rationing branch has declared.

Refrigeration servicemen operating either their own cars or trucks apparently will have little to worry about. No commercial vehicle will face restrictions under the plan.

Car owners who can show a vocational need of gasoline in excess of the amount provided by the basic "A" card will be issued "B" cards, of which there will be three types. A fifth type of card, the "X" card, will be issued to owners qualified to receive whatever gasoline they feel is necessary. Such owners would include doctors and other persons needing their passenger cars in the performance of business and professional services.



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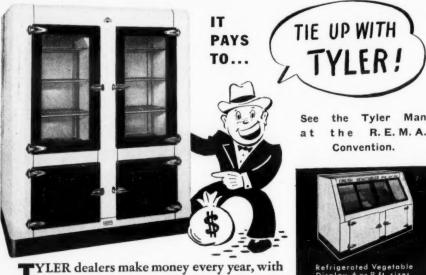
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Instructions Given For Procedure on **New Store Sales**

WASHINGTON, D. C .- For the purpose of informing retailers or suppliers as to how a gas stove (or other plumbing or heating fixtures frozen by Order No. L-79) may legally be sold, an interpretation was issued through WPB.

The interpretation is as follows: 1. To replace worn out or damaged equipment.

Under the terms of Order No. P-84 covering emergency plumbing and heating repairs, an "installer," defined officially as "any person who installs plumbing or heating equipment, regardless of whether or not he is regularly engaged in installing such equipment, may issue a statement certifying that the gas range (or other equipment frozen by the order) is damaged or worn out beyond repair. This statement must then be signed both by him and the customer (in the following manner). Date.....

To Supplier We, the undersigned, do hereby certify that the repair of the within described unit (1) is impracticable, having been worn out, destroyed, or damaged beyond repair, and that the replacing unit (4), also described herein, is required by the owner for the premises situated at.....

(The unit being removed)

(The part or parts of such unit which failed)

(The age, model, make, size, and serial number—where available—of such unit or parts referred to above)

(The replacing unit, its model, make, size, and serial number-where available) This statement is made pursuant

to the aforementioned Preference Rating Order No. P-84, with the terms of which we are familiar.

Installer

Owner of Property or User Address This certificate is then attached to the purchase order, which along with all copies thereof, must be endorsed as follows by the installer.

"Material for emergency repairs of plumbing equipment or heating equipment—Rating A-10 under Preference Rating No. P-84 with the terms of which I am familiar."

Name of Installer or Supplier

The customer is then entitled to delivery and installation.

It should be noted that only an "installer" and not a dealer who is not an installer within the official definition has the authority to either use the P-84 certificate or assign an A-10 rating. This authority is vested by WPB in the installers by placing the full responsibility for the honest and faithful observance of the regulations entirely upon their shoulders; if they violate it they are subject to the penalties provided.

2. Where a new gas range (or other piece of equipment) is desired, but there is no old worn-out or damaged unit which it is to replace.

In cases of this kind the applicant should fill out a PD-1a form, which should then be forwarded to the WPB offices in Washington for approval. If approved it is given a rating and returned to the applicant. Unless the applicant has a legitimate requirement the chances are that approval will not be granted.

Relaxed Rationing Rules Open Way For Servicemen's Cars

DETROIT-It would seem likely that refrigeration servicemen who have worn out automobiles used in their work might get new cars under the "easing up" of rationing of new automobiles, announced April 27 by Price Administrator Leon Hender-

The new amendment revises completely the section of the Automobile Rationing order which requires an applicant to prove that he needs a new passenger automobile before a Local Rationing Board may issue a certificate. The applicant must still prove that he needs a car to carry on efficiently civilian services or war work, but the standard of need has been simplified and relaxed.

An eligible applicant may establish need for an automobile by meeting any of the following conditions:

That he must travel quickly and would be better able to do so by automobile than by other means of transportation:

That he must transport passengers or heavy or bulky tools or materials: That without a car he would have to walk at least three miles in going to and coming from work:

That his work is arduous, or his hours unusually long, or that he must travel late at night;

That local transportation services are over-crowded;

That his physical condition would make it a hardship for him to walk or to use public transportation facilities;

That he clearly needs an automobile because of other unusual circum-

If the applicant fulfills one or more of the above conditions, he may qualify for a new car purchase certificate by showing that he does not already have an automobile adequate for his purposes.

A board may decide that a car is inadequate if (a) it is a 1939 or earlier model; or (b) it has been driven more than 40,000 miles; or (c) it has been rendered unservice-

Dairy Repair Order Good Only For Dates Set

WASHINGTON, D. C.-The WPB has amended Preference Rating Order No. P-118 to restrict application of preference rating by dairy processors to orders for repair, maintenance and operating materials for use before June 30, 1942, when the order expires.

As issued on April 18, P-118 did not clearly restrict use of the ratings to orders for materials to be used during the life of the order.

The order makes available for the limited period an A-2 rating for emergency repair materials and an A-3 rating for normal repair, maintenance and operating materials for plants processing or producing dairy products. These high ratings were granted to make certain that necessary machinery is kept in good running order to meet increasing demands for milk and other dairy products for the armed forces, the civilian population and the allied nations.

Amendment No. 1 to Preference Rating Order No. P-118

(a) Subparagraph (d) (1) (i) of Section 1108.1 (Preference Rating Order No. P-118) is hereby amended to read as follows:

"(d) Restrictions on Use of Rat-

(1) Restrictions on Processor. (i) Every contract and purchase order for Material, to which a preference rating is to be applied hereunder, must specify the date or dates by which delivery is required, and the preference rating may be applied only to such Material, or portion thereof, which, under the contract or purchase order, is to be delivered to the Processor for his operations during the period from the date of the issuance of this Order to the date of its expiration. The Processor may apply the ratings only to these quantities and kinds of Material essentials to enable him to maintain his production

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schedules for that period.

DETROIT-Wolverine Tube Co. reports net profit for the first quarter ending March 31 of \$74,889. This is equivalent to 19 cents a share of common stock.

able by fire, collision or otherwise; or (d) it is not reliable enough for the services it is to perform; or (e) demands upon the applicant for the specified services have increased to such an extent that he needs an additional automobile to render such

These changes are brought about by Amendment No. 6 to the New Passenger Automobile Rationing Regulations, which went into effect April 29, 1942.

"Some eligible people who need to replace their cars are not doing so because they believe it to be unpatriotic," commented Mr. Hender-

"To such people, I would like to say that there is nothing unpatriotic about replacing a car which is used to perform essential services and which would have to be replaced next year or the year after. To the extent that we can equip those who need automobiles for the performance of essential services with the best available transportation, we will be cutting costs of storage and reducing next year's automobile requirements.'









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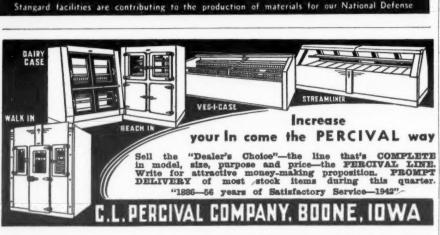












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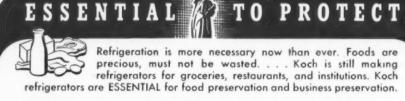
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The Schedule (No. IX to Limitation Order L-42) covers direct-fired gas storage water heaters. It eliminates all models requiring more than one flue, as well as restricting the manufacture of storage tanks to three sizes. Use of metal jackets, or of brass and copper in certain parts is also prohibited.

Another Schedule (No. VIII) to the Limitation Order, requires the simplification of vacuum and vapor heating specialties after June 15.

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'Listing' of Servicemen By Producers Sought For PD-399 Forms

(Concluded from Page 1, Column 1) part of the order will be that no installations of any refrigeration equipment will be allowed without an A-10 or better rating. This means that the form PD-1A will probably have to be filed for every new installation of commercial refrigeration.

From the Consumers Durable Goods Section of the Division of Civilian Supply it was indicated that for repair parts for household refrigerators, manufacturers of such repair parts will apply under the P-90 order for raw material, and that parts jobbers will apply for stocks on Form PD-lX, selling to servicemen without priority.

Parts jobbers, it was indicated, should not accept orders rated A-10 under P-100 after licenses have been issued under Order P-126. Accumulations of sales made under P-100 should be totaled and extended in one batch as soon as the new order P-126 is in operation.

When the Repair Order and Limitation Order are effective, the PD-IX form should be used by the parts jobber to keep his "commercial refrigeration" supplies in the minimum condition allowed, and to replace sales of "household" repairs. Any direct rated orders on PD-1A, PD-126, and others should be served only once, and that on the manufacturer.

Army-Navy Order Hits 'Freon' Use In Big Units

(Concluded from Page 1, Column 3) ing systems, bidding will presumably be limited to this group.

No reason has been advanced by the Army-Navy Munitions Board for issuing this order.

Dissatisfaction with the order has been brought to a head by previous Army-Navy specifications which have favored producers of ammonia machines as against other types in some instances.

G-E To Rebuild Units As Aid To Users

(Concluded from Page 1, Column 1) dise department executives, district managers, and product service men April 20, 21, and 22.

The plan applies to all G-E household appliances, with the exception of furnaces, air conditioning equipment, and radio. The advisability of expanding the program to include furnaces and air conditioning is being studied. A separate streamlined service program will be announced soon by the radio department.

The plan calls for the establishment of G-E owned regional appliance service centers in various sections of the country, each regional center serving as a pool of replacement parts and repair facilities for several distributorships. Regional appliance service centers are now being established in San Francisco, Boston, and Atlanta. Others will follow.

It was explained that the new plan need not interfere in any way with already well established and smoothly functioning distributor service facilities. Functions of the regional service center will vary in accordance with the particular problems and requirements of the areas which they serve. Some distributors, particularly in metropolitan areas, may call on the appliance service center for parts only. Other distributors will encourage their appliance service center dealerships (qualified servicing dealers) to make use of the regional appliance service center not only for parts, but also for service facilities over and above the standard services.

General Electric's primary purpose in the new service plan, according to Mr. Noll, is to supply "restored service" to customers whose appliances fail during the war emergency.

"G-E is not interested in rebuilding for indiscriminate resale old refrigerator units that may be lying around in warehouses in quanity," he said.

"However, the company is asking the cooperation of dealers and distributors in turning over to the factory old non-working refrigerator units. The company regards these units, and all service parts and rebuilding facilities, as precious things which must be reserved for actually restoring service to customers who suffer from an appliance breakdown."

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FARM QUICK-FREEZER

WPB Farm Machine Branch Split Into 4 Sections

WASHINGTON, D. C .- The Farm Machinery and Equipment Branch of WPB has set up four sections to handle all problems relating to products formerly handled by the Branch in general.

Milk coolers (and probably other farm refrigeration equipment) comes under the Barn, Poultry and Miscellaneous Equipment Section, headed by Stephen Mahon.

These sections will handle all appeals under Limitation Order L-26, which regulates the production of all types of farm machinery and equipment. Each section chief will be responsible only for the equipment assigned to him.

All correspondence relating to the limitation order should be addressed to the War Production Board, Ref. L-26, and should be marked for the attention of the section chief handling the equipment involved.

U. S. Price Freezing Order Affects Service Charges

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An official ruling will be needed on the question of whether or not this General Maximum Price Regulation will supersede the price regulations on household electric refrigerators and vacuum cleaners, in which specific price lists were established by previous order.

One semi-official report declares that the maximum price regulations previously established for washing machines, stoves and ranges, ironers, radios and phonographs, and small appliances will be revoked, and the products brought under the provisions of the new General Maximum Price Regulation.

Text of Amendment on Household Order

WASHINGTON, D. C .- Following is the text of Amendment No. 3 to Supplementary General Limitation Order L-5-b covering domestic mechanical refrigera-

Section 989.3 (Supplementary General Limitation Order L-5-b) is hereby amended in the following particulars: Subparagraph (a) (6) (i) (a) is hereby

amended to read as follows: (a) to any person any New Electric Domestic Mechanical Refrigerator from his Stock of New Refrigerators, and any New Electric Domestic Mechanical Re-

frigerator which he acquired on or after March 26, 1942 from the Stock of New Refrigerators of any other person not a manufacturer or distributor, and Paragraph (a) is hereby further mended by adding a new subparagraph

(7) as follows: (7) Any person may ship or transfer from one location to another any New

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he held the complete beneficial and legal title on or before 10 a.m. Eastern War Time, Feb. 14, 1942, whether or not he had actual possession thereof. Any New Domestic Mechanical Refrigerator which was in the hands of a seller at 10 a.m. Eastern War Time, Feb. 14, 1942, but which had been fully paid for before that date shall be deemed to be part of the Stock of New Refrigerators of the purchaser, and may be shipped or delivered at his direction. ered at his direction.

This Amendment shall take effect im-

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